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REMARKS

Claims 1-34 were pending in the application. By this paper, Applicant has canceled Claims 1-11 and 25-33 without prejudice, and added new Claims 35-54. Accordingly, Claims
5 12-24 and 34-54 are presented for examination herein.

Restriction Election

Applicant has canceled Claims 1-11 and 25-33 without prejudice consistent with Applicant's election of the Group II invention drawn to developing component to managing
10 functions, classified in class 717, subclass 120 and 177.

Information Disclosure Statement

Applicant submits herewith an Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449 citing sixteen (16) references for the Examiner's consideration.
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New Claims

By this paper, Applicant has added new Claims 35-54. Applicant submits that all claims presented herein for examination, including new Claims 35-54, read on the elected Group II invention, and present no additional burden for the examination thereof.
20 Specifically, new independent Claims 37 and 50 correspond generally to the subject matter of Claim 12 which is included in the elected Group II; and independent Claim 46 corresponds generally to the subject matter of Claim 21, which is also included in the elected Group II. Hence, no new matter has been added.

Other Remarks

Applicant hereby specifically reserves the right to prosecute claims of different or broader scope in a continuation or divisional application.

Applicant notes that any claim cancellations or additions made herein are made solely for the purposes of more clearly and particularly describing and claiming the invention and
30 responding to the aforementioned restriction election, and not for purposes of overcoming art or for patentability. The Examiner should infer no (i) adoption of a position with respect to

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patentability, (ii) change in the Applicant's position with respect to any claim or subject matter of the invention, or (iii) acquiescence in any way to any position taken by the Examiner, based on such cancellations or additions.

Furthermore, any remarks made with respect to a given claim or claims are limited
5 solely to such claim or claims.

If the Examiner has any questions or comments which may be resolved over the telephone, he is requested to call the undersigned at (858) 675-1670.

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